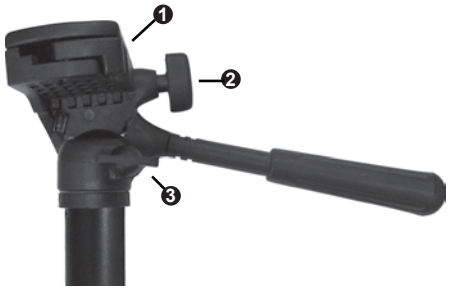
Tripod/Monopod

Parts of the Monopod

1. Quick Release Lever
2. Vertical Tilt Locking Knob
3. Pan Locking Knob
4. Pan Handle
5. Rubber Foot
6. Quick Release Plate
7. Mounting Screw

Monopod has a minimum height of 17.21 inches and a maximum height of 58.66 inches



Parts of the Tripod

A. Center Column Knob
B. Leveling Bubble
C. Leg Locks
D. Leg Braces
E. Leg Brace Lock

Tripod has a minimum height of 18.81 inches and a maximum height of 48.81 inches

Mounting

Quick Release Plate

1. Hold open the Quick Release Lever **(1)** outward until it stops and remove the Quick Release Plate **(6)** by lifting it upward.
2. Position the plate so that the Mounting Screw **(7)** aligns with the tripod socket of the adaptable item, and screw the pieces together.
3. Hold open the Quick Release Lever **(1)** outward and slightly tilt the Quick Release Plate **(6)** down and slide back into position. Secure the platform using the Quick Release Lever **(1)** by pressing firmly until it stops.

Panning and Tilting

To pan and tilt, loosen the Pan Locking Knob **(3)**, position as desired using the Pan Handle **(4)** either up or down or left to right. Retighten the Pan Locking Knob **(3)** to lock your view in place.

Vertical Viewing

To change the camera format from horizontal to vertical, loosen Vertical Tilt Locking Knob **(2)** rotate the optic to a vertical position. Retighten the Vertical Tilt Locking Knob **(2)**. Position the optic as desired by using the Pan Handle **(4)** and Pan Locking Knob **(3)**.

Using the Tripod

If necessary, place monopod back into the tripod and tighten the Center Column Knob **(A)**.

Extending the Legs

Each leg of the tripod has separate leg extensions and each segment may be withdrawn as needed by using the Leg Locks. Flip the Leg Locks **(C)** up to extend the leg to desired height and flip down to lock in place.

CAUTION: Not properly securing a leg lock may cause the tripod leg to retract and may cause damage to your tripod and camera.

Center Column Height

To raise or lower the Center Column, loosen the Center Column Lock Knob **(A)**. Grasp the tripod head and lift to the desired height. Retighten the Center Column Lock Knob **(A)** to secure.

Note: Never release your optic until the Center Column Lock Knob is securely retightened.

Leveling Bubble

The Leveling Bubble **(B)** is used to level the tripod allowing for optimum viewing. The tripod is level when the bubble is centered in between the black lines.

Using the Tripod Cont.

Leg Braces

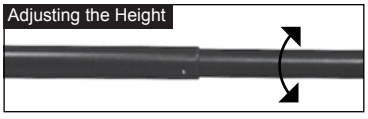
Your tripod is equipped with Leg Braces **(D)** for maximum stability. When opening the tripod, make certain that all three braces are fully extended by gently pressing down on any brace until it stops. Lock in the position by tightening the Leg Brace Lock **(E)**. When closing the tripod, loosen the Leg Brace Lock **(E)** and gently push up on the Leg Braces **(D)**, to permit the tripod's legs to close.

Using the Monopod

Loosen Center Column Knob **(A)**, and slowly ease the monopod from the tripod.

Height Adjustments

To adjust the height of the monopod grab the rubber foot of the monopod **(5)** and turn it to the left, slowly pull the leg to expose each of the 3 segments of the monopod. Each leg segment needs to be secured manually, to do this grab one segment of the leg with one hand and grab the other segment with the other. Turn one leg to the right, you should feel the segment tighten. Do this to the other remaining sections. To reduce the height simply loosen the segments by turning each segment to the left.



Twist to the right to tighten
Twist to the left to loosen

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Placing the Monopod Back into the Tripod

When not in use, reduce the monopod to its minimum height and lock the monopod in place by turning the rubber foot **(5)** to the right. Place monopod back into the tripod and tighten the Center Column Knob **(A)**.

Taking Care of the Tripod

When not in use, if necessary, place monopod back into the tripod and tighten the Center Column Knob **(A)**. Loosen the Leg Brace Lock **(E)** and gently push up on the Leg Braces **(D)**, to permit the tripod's legs to close. Reduce tripod legs to minimum height and secure in place using the Leg Locks **(C)**, reduce Center Column and secure in place with Center Column Lock Knob **(A)**. Place tripod in carrying case (included) and store your tripod in a cool dry area.

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